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FOR: THE PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING FORMULATION OF TOPICAL BETA BLOCKERS WITH IMPROVED EFFICACY	

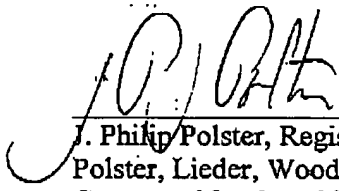
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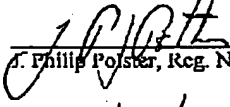
## STATUS INQUIRY

Applicant's undersigned attorney notes that although an order withdrawing the holding of abandonment of this application was entered on May 18, 2004, Private PAIR still shows the status of the application as "Abandoned -- Failure to Respond to an Office Action." It is respectfully requested that the Examiner order the file to be returned from the File Repository (Franconia) and prosecution reopened.

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